Milmington College Sixteenth Graduation Program

nineteen hundred sixty-five



College Gymnasium

Sunday afternoon, June thirteenth, four o'clock

Program

Processional—"Voluntary in G Major" Handel
Mr. Frank Honey, Organist
Invocation Rev. Randolph L. Gregory Pastor, First Baptist Church
Address The Honorable Robert Scott
Lieutenant-Governor of North Carolina
''Now Let All Sing'' Kirk
"Alma Mater" Hunnicutt-Hudson
Wilmington College Chorus and Brass Ensemble Mr. Loyd Hudson, Directing
Award of "Hoggard Medal of Achievement", Addison Hewlett, Jr.
Presentation of Candidates for the Degree, "Bachelor of Arts" Dean James Marshall Crews
Conferring of Degrees Dr. William M. Randall President of the College
Benediction Rev. Randolph L. Gregory
Recessional—"Recessional in B Flat Major" Asper
Mr. Frank Honey

Members of the Class of 1965

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE JUNE, 1965

Andrews, Robert Carlton, Jr. Bergen, Cornelia Ann Blake, Rodger Russell Brite, Madeline Carol Bryant, Ann Hathaway Burgess, Sarah Elizabeth Carr, Robert Thatcher Coleman, Eleanor Gail Compos, John Alex Covil, Harvey Thomas Coxe, Andrew Syester Cribb, Richard Graham Culbreth, Stephen Edward Daniel, Bonnie Sullivan, magna cum laude Dannaher, Barbara Brennan Davis, Herbert Lee, III Dempsey, John Carl Eakins, John James, Jr. Evans, Thomas Lloyd, Jr. Fales, Franklin Todd Feagin, Richard LeGrande Fulford, Barbara Lynn Gaskins, Linda Shayne Gemmell, Andrew Hamilton Gemmell, William Poindexter

Hall, George Ronald Hansen, Margaret Lee Hiatt, James Lawrence, Jr. Hodges, Nancy Hendrix Hutchinson, Ronald Colman Keifer, James Robert Kinlaw, Acie, Jr. Lanier, Kay Wells Lennon, Glenda Elaine Menefee, Charles Lyon *Mihal, Ron George, cum laude Paschal, Hugh Holliday, Jr. Pistolis, John George Price, James Adkins, III Roberts, Marcia Gardner Roberts, Robert Neal Sawyer, Louis Henry Smith, Frances Dean Spender, William Edward Staton, Boyce Ronnie Stiles, Patricia Marie Ward, Edward Wesley Ward, William Cleveland, III Wooten, Jon Charles Yow, Lionel Leon

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE AUGUST, 1965

Abbott, Sherwood Shannon
Annas, Douglas Erwin
Barb, Judith Elaine
Barnhill, Cecille Taylor
Baysdon, Linda Elaine
Blackstock, Linda Maxine
Boyles, Phyllis, with honors in
Elementary Education
Collier, James Franklin
Corbett, Waddell Albert
**Craig, Nancy Faye
English, Ann Fussell

Gerock, Milton Thomas, Jr.
Hewlett, Ann Katherine
Lockamy, Perry Daniel, Jr.
MacQueen, Pete, III
Montgomery, Frank Alexander, III
Rickenbacker, Harry Lee
Rochelle, James Lloyd, Jr.
Shaw, Glendle Sue
Tucker, Reginald Lee
Tuttle, Thomas Marshall
Womble, Kay Brock

*-Expects to complete work during the Summer Session for Honors in Spanish

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MARSHALS

Dr. Frederick Hornack, for the faculty Miss Catherine O'Brien, for the graduating class

USHERS

Parker Bryant, Grady Conner, Jerry Randall, Mary Vogels.

Academic Regalia

Three academic degrees are generally recognized: the bachelor, the master, and the doctor. The name of each degree seems to have been determined by medieval university custom. The bachelor's degree, the baccalaureate, takes its name directly from the medieval practice of "bachelors" wearing a garland of bayberries. The master's degree was equivalent to a license to teach, and sometimes was followed by the express words Licentia Docendi. The doctor's degree was originally a title of respect, and a recognition of great learning. Today, the doctor's degree when earned by study, as is true of the Doctor of Philosophy degree, indicates advanced study and independent research in a specialized field of learning, whereas honorary degrees are granted for meritorious service and for distinction in public or private endeavor. In the medieval university, students and teachers wore gowns indicating their status and scholastic achievement.

Those holding a bachelor's degree wear a gown of worsted material, fastened at the top, and distinguished by long pointed sleeves hanging nearly to the knees. The master's gown, worn open, has long closed sleeves with an arc of a circle appearing near the bottom and a slit for the arm near the middle of the sleeves. The doctor's gown, also worn open, is faced with a broad strip of velvet, and has three bars of velvet on each sleeve.

A hood may be worn with the gown. The bachelor's hood is three feet long, with a two-inch strip of velvet; the master's hood is three and one-half feet long, faced with a three-inch strip of velvet; the doctor's hood is four feet long, faced with a five-inch strip of velvet. The color of the tassel or the velvet strip on the hood indicates the field of study in which the degree was earned or granted, as for example: Arts, WHITE; Science, YELLOW; Education, LIGHT BLUE; Engineering, ORANGE; Music, PINK; Library School, LEMON YELLOW; Business, DRAB; Law, PURPLE; Divinity, SCARLET; Medicine, GREEN; Philosophy, BLUE. Each hood is also lined in silk with the colors of the institution which granted the degree, as for example, the Wilmington College hood will be lined with green and gold.

The appropriate cap for all degrees is the familiar black "mortar board." A black tassel, or one of a color signifying the field of specialization, hanging to the left of the face, is appropriate for all degrees. Those holding a doctor's degree may wear a soft velvet cap of the color indicating their field of study, or with the "mortar board" may wear a tassel in whole or in part of gold thread.